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Amendments to the Specification:

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 13 line 14 with the following amended paragraph:

--HTML document 608 accessed by IE browser 600 is then parsed to extract contents of the document (step 604). In a specific embodiment of IE browser 600, the parsing is performed by Microsoft's HTML (MSHTML) parsing and rendering engine component of IE browser 600. The MSHTML parser reads the contents of document 608 and extracts elements from the documents based on HTML tags contained in document 608. MSHTML then exposes the contents of HTML document 608 via the Dynamic HTML Object Model and the Document Object Model (DOM) which is built during step 404 604 based on the contents of HTML document 608.--

Please replace the paragraph beginning on page 35 line 15 with the following amended paragraph:

-- Further, the correlation also enables a text entity thumbnail object to be automatically notified of changes made to information stored in the concept data structure. These changes may include changes to the style information which indicates the manner in which the annotation is displayed to the user. Accordingly, if the annotation style of a concept is changed, the corresponding text entities in the thumbnail image will be automatically and dynamically updated to reflect the change. For example, if word entities related to "CONCEPT_1" are now to be displayed in "green" rather than "red" in first viewing area 202, the corresponding word entities in the thumbnail image will also be automatically changed to show the annotation in green.--